

"CHIEF" IN A RAGE OVER GAFFNEY SET-DOWN; "STARTED TO RUIN ME," SAYS SULZER ON STAND

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"USE CLUBS ON GUNMEN," IS ADVICE OF THE MAYOR TO THE POLICE RECRUITS

But Citizens Are Not to Be Beaten, Says Mitchell.

USES GAYNOR'S WORDS.

Tells the Uniformed Men They Will Receive His Moral Support.

Impressing upon policemen that citizens are never to be clubbed indiscriminately, Mayor Mitchell this afternoon told the Police School of Recruits that he wanted "gunmen" clubbed and that in clubbing them the police would receive the moral encouragement of the city officials.

Mayor Mitchell is the first Mayor ever to attend the "graduation exercises" of the Police School, and forty-eight recruits, after their six weeks' course of training, faced him. He watched with keen interest their setting-up exercises and their methods of "humanely" subduing fighting prisoners.

After inspecting the graduates, Mayor Mitchell said, in part: "This drill leaves no doubt as to your physical fitness to protect yourselves and citizens with your own hands and without clubs, which are given you not as a badge of honor or for indiscriminate use, but for your own protection and the protection of citizens."

"A good deal has been said lately about the use of clubs, and I want to emphasize upon you the good words of the late Mayor Gaynor that clubs are not to be used upon citizens, except in cases of necessity."

"But if your lives and those of citizens may be threatened by the violence of that class of criminals that are known as 'gunmen' and 'thugs' in this city, you are going to get the full support of the Mayor if you protect yourselves and the citizens by use of those weapons which are placed in your hands by the law."

Mayor Mitchell added that he was more than pleased with the mental training given the new policemen in the School of Recruits, and that he intended to see that it was developed during his administration to a point that had never been reached in the past. He remained at Headquarters as the guest of Commissioner McKay for two hours.

**WORTH A MILLION,
BUT TAKES \$200 JOB**

Mr. Currier of South Orange Accepts the Position of Police Recorder.

The Town Committee of South Orange, N. J., last night elected Francis S. Currier to the position of Police Recorder at a salary of \$200 a year. Mr. Currier, who is a retired manufacturer, is said to be worth considerably over \$1,000,000 and lives on Prospect street in South Orange Heights, an exclusive residential section. His spacious mansion and grounds are valued at \$200,000.

When seen to-day by an Evening World reporter Mr. Currier said that he would certainly fulfill the duties of the office to the best of his ability. While he was not a lawyer, he had a fair knowledge of the law and he thought that the position was one that should be filled in a dignified manner. It was not a case of the man seeking the office, but the office seeking the man. He said that he would do all in his power to give South Orange a fair and impartial Police Recorder, and, of course, the salary was no object.

The office of Police Recorder is similar to that of Police Justice. Mr. Currier was formerly president and general manager of Cyrus C. Currier & Co., general machinery.

\$15,000,000 GIFT TO BUILD TWENTY RADIUM HOSPITALS

Congressman Told Aged Benefactor, Not Named, Plans to Provide Free Treatment.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—An announcement that "an aged millionaire" has a plan to build twenty hospitals at a cost of \$15,000,000 for free radium treatment of cancer was made to-day by President J. M. Flannery of the Standard Chemical Company of Pittsburgh before the House Mines Committee.

Each institution would have five grams of radium.

He indicated that neither Rockefeller nor Carnegie was the man involved.

Flannery's announcement was made in the course of an appeal that the government not undertake to regulate radium extraction. His exact words were:

"There is a philanthropist who has a plan to put up twenty institutions in the centers of population, such as New York, Chicago, Boston and the rest, at a cost of \$15,000,000, so that all cancer victims may be treated free of charge. He wants to have five grams of radium for each of those twenty places."

"That's a lot of money," interrupted Representative Austin. "We're from Missouri, and I'll have to be shown."

"That wouldn't be the first time Missourians have been shown real money," the witness retorted. "This offer isn't so remarkable when we consider all that the country's millionaires, such as Carnegie and Rockefeller, have undertaken."

Mr. Flannery, who is president of the Standard Chemical Company, pioneer in America's radium business, told the romantic story of his struggle to uphold it, how he had secured claims and the valuable secret extraction process as the result of a lifetime of earnest effort.

Inspired by the death of a relative from cancer, Flannery declared that he set about to discover a cure for cancer. Experts he sent to Europe returned with the report that radium was an effective remedy. Then with a small plant he started to manufacture the mineral salts.

OFFERS RADIUM TO GOVERNMENT AT \$80,000 A GRAM.

He found miners in Colorado who were willing to sell for a song their carotite ore lumps. The witness said it took 350 or 400 tons of ore to produce a gram of radium. Flannery declared that Colorado has enough radium to supply "the entire world's cancer victims five times over." 200 grams he estimated as the amount needed for sufferers in the United States.

"I'd be willing to contract to furnish this amount in five years to the Government at a price lower than the Government could manufacture it—at a maximum figure of \$80,000 a gram," he asserted.

Radium, he declared, was twenty-five times more valuable in other diseases than cancer. It is a positive cure for rheumatism and other painful diseases.

Following committee hearing, Flannery flatly refused to discuss the offer further.

"Publicity would spoil the plan," he declared, "but it seems to me that it's a good idea if an old man wants to use his money this way when it won't do him any other good. That's

FAMILY OF FOUR WIPE OUT WHEN SAD WIFE PLEADS

Father, Wife and Two Young Girls Found Shot Dead in Bronx Flat.

ALL AGREED TO DIE.

Police Believe Even the Children Were Urged to Give Up Life.

Julius Stierheim, an Ellis Island Hungarian interpreter, forty-six years old; his wife, Josephine, aged forty-one, and their two children, Edna, aged twelve, and Gladys, nine, were found dead to-day in the flat occupied by the family on the fourth floor of the apartment house at No. 1085 Bryant avenue, the Bronx.

The wife and children were shot to death by Stierheim, who completed the extinction of the family by taking his own life.

A letter and a will found in the flat show that Stierheim and his wife were parties to a suicide agreement. The appearance of the scene of the tragedy indicates that the children were also terrorized or persuaded into allowing themselves to be killed.

Each of the victims was shot through the roof of the mouth, and only four bullets were used in ending the four lives.

The wife, it is believed, was the instigator of the plan. She had been despondent. Her mother, Mrs. Charles Deutsch of No. 534 East Eighty-seventh street, to whom she and her husband were deeply attached, died a week ago Sunday. This blow appears to have completely broken down the mind of Mrs. Stierheim.

Her husband had been ill for months. The family was in comfortable circumstances, but it is assumed that Mrs. Stierheim could not think of leaving her daughters, who were bright, pretty children, behind. The wife, apparently, urged the husband along until he saw his way clear to accomplish the pitiful tragedy.

WOMAN NEIGHBOR HEARD THREE SHOTS.

Inquiry in the house this afternoon established that the two children and the wife were killed about 10:30 o'clock last Monday night. Mrs. A. Simms, living in the flat below that of the Stierheims, heard three muffled explosions at that hour, but did not realize their significance. She is sure she heard only three shots, so Stierheim must have waited after killing the family before ending his own life. No one heard the sound of the shot that finished his career.

The letter found in the flat was addressed to Dr. Sigmund Deutsch of No. 317 East Eighty-seventh street, a brother of Mrs. Stierheim, and was written in Hungarian. In a general way it sets forth that Stierheim and his wife had agreed to kill themselves, but nothing is said about the children.

"We hear you to excuse this whole thing," wrote Stierheim to his brother-in-law. "Under prevailing circumstances we cannot get along. If I and Josephine go over this whole thing again she will go crazy. It is our wish to be cremated."

WIFE PERSUADED HIM TO WIPE OUT THE FAMILY.

Included in the letter was Stierheim's will disposing of \$2,856.27 in savings banks and the proceeds of five life insurance policies in fraternal organizations. The will distributes the property with minute care. Stierheim left behind five separate powers

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the way Rockefeller and Carnegie have done."

Flannery's estimate was that there are now 200,000 cancer victims in the United States. He said this number could be treated in the twenty institutions included in the philanthropist's offer. He placed the yearly cancer death toll at 75,000.

MRS. GOELET ASKS ABSOLUTE DIVORCE FROM MILLIONAIRE

She Starts for Florida and He's Going to Europe as Suit Is Filed.

CRUELTY ONE CHARGE.

"Wickedness in Violation of Marriage Covenant" Is an Added Complaint.

Mrs. Robert Goelet filed suit for absolute divorce yesterday from the millionaire clubman and sportsman. The papers were sent from this city to Providence, R. I., for filing this morning. Mrs. Goelet left the city this morning for Daytona, Fla. Robert Goelet, it is said, will sail for Europe in a few weeks.

Intimate friends of the couple have been expecting something of this kind for months, but many of their friends did not know that while they occupied the Goelet mansion at No. 647 Fifth avenue, they were not living there as man and wife. While they continued, however, to keep up appearances intimate friends had hoped for a reconciliation.

Within the last month Mrs. Goelet had made up her mind to take the final step. This morning with her butler and maids she left the house for the last time.

Arrangements had been made meanwhile to close the house for good on the first of next month. A number of the servants were given notice that their services were no longer desired, and only a few were retained.

The papers charge Mr. Goelet with "extreme cruelty and other misbehavior and wickedness repugnant to and in violation of the marriage covenant."

Samuel Untermyer is Mrs. Goelet's attorney. All he would say this afternoon was that any papers which had been filed would show all that was to be said of Mrs. Goelet's complaint. Mrs. Goelet, he said, did not regard her affairs or those of her family as matters of public interest or concern. Mrs. Goelet was formerly Miss Elsie Whelan of Philadelphia and was regarded as one of the most beautiful girls in the country when she made her debut in society. She is to-day an exceptionally beautiful woman very clever and an artist of no mean ability. The couple have two children, for the custody of which Mrs. Goelet will ask.

SAILING TO-DAY.

La Provence, Havre..... 10 A. M.
Lapland, Antwerp..... 10 A. M.
Oceanic, Southampton..... 12 M.
Santa Marta, Jamaica..... 12 M.

STEAMSHIPS DUE TO-DAY.

Vaderland, Antwerp..... 8 A. M.
Carl Schurz, Colon..... 8 A. M.
Caribbean, Bermuda..... 9 A. M.
Noordam, Rotterdam..... 10 A. M.
Necker, Bremen..... 1 P. M.

Graduation Days

The first semester of the school year is coming to a close. Students in schools and colleges the country over are getting ready to pass on into higher fields of instruction.

Is this not a propitious time for grown-ups who are lagging behind to step forward into the great advanced class of

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Millionaire Clubman and Wife Who Asks an Absolute Divorce



FORD GIVES 650 WOMEN IN WORKS DOUBLE SALARY.

Auto Manufacturer Makes Good Promise to Take Care of Gentler Sex.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 21.—Henry Ford, the automobile manufacturer, did not forget the 650 women workers in his plant when he announced his \$10,000,000 profit-sharing plan as at first reported. The women and girls employed at the big auto plant, when they drew their pay to-day, found that they too had shared in the biggest melon ever cut for labor's benefit. Their wages in every case had been practically doubled.

"I'm too surprised and delighted to say much except to add my praise for Mr. Ford and his plan," said Miss Alice Hockmuth, telephone operator at the Ford plant.

When Miss Hockmuth drew her pay to-day she found her salary had been doubled. She now receives \$3 a day, works eight hours, has an hour for lunch and two ten minute rests.

VOTES FOR WOMEN BILL LOSES FINE CHANCE OF PASSING U. S. SENATE

Ashurst, Its Sponsor, Assured Support and, Urged to Call for Vote, Loses Heart.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Women's suffrage had a chance of passing the United States Senate to-day but for the inability of its champion, Senator Ashurst of Arizona, to refrain from making a set speech on the subject. Very unexpectedly the suffrage question entitled Senate Resolution No. 7 topped to the top of the calendar, and a number of old time Senators at once clamored for a vote.

Lodge, Gallinger and Brewster, on the Republican side, said to Ashurst: "Come on, let us have the question settled now. We are all going to vote for it. We will give you enough votes to put it through."

But Ashurst glanced around at some of the Southern Democrats who have growled against women's suffrage and grew afraid that his Democratic colleagues might fail him. He

MAYOR KNOCKS CITY'S \$15,000,000 OFFICE BUILDING

Waste of Space, He Thinks, and Department Heads Object to Quarters.

The \$15,000,000 Municipal Office Building at Chambers and Centre streets makes no hit with Mayor Mitchell, who told the Stinking Fund Commission to-day that he regarded the building as a "large waste of space as it is at present conceived, badly planned in its original conception."

The Mayor's comment came at a meeting of the commission after Secretary Travis P. Whitney of the Public Service Commission had declared the two floors set aside for the Public Service Commission were not adapted to its work. Mr. Whitney, on behalf of the commission, asked that the offices in the Tribune Building be retained until the commission could erect its own home on land it owns on Canal street.

Nearly all the city departments which have been assigned to quarters in the Municipal Building have complained that their new offices are unsuitable. The building was planned and started under Mayor McEllan to save the city a rental of \$1,500,000 a year.

Mayor Mitchell decided to-day to appoint a special committee of three to act with Bridge Commissioner Kracke to find out just what is to be done in assigning space in the new structure.

ANTHONY BRADY LEFT FORTUNE OF \$70,000,000

ALBANY, Jan. 21.—A check for \$2,584,000 in payment of the transfer tax on the estate of the late Anthony N. Brady of Albany and New York was received to-day by State Comptroller Schaner. The tax was figured on an estimated valuation of approximately \$70,000,000 on the estate.

"By paying within the six month limit, which would have expired tomorrow, the executors saved the estate \$136,000."

hesitated and the golden opportunity for women was lost.

"No," he finally said, "I think I will make my speech first."

Gallinger, Lodge and other old-time Senators chuckled. Instead of an almost unanimous vote on behalf of women, for most of their opponents were absent, the Arizona Senator started a long speech to empty benches. It will be weeks before the opportunity again arrives.

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"MURPHY THREATENED TO WRECK ME IF I WOULD NOT QUIT"

SULZER ON STAND TO-DAY.

"I See Where You'll Wind Up Damn Quick as Governor—You'll Make a Hell of a Governor Butting In Where You Don't Belong!" Was the Threat of the Tammany Boss.

ASKED IF O'GORMAN HAD TRIED TO INTERFERE

Senator Quoted as Declaring Gaffney Was Sent by "Chief" to Hold Up Contractors for Big Contributions—Sulzer Goes Before Grand Jury To-Morrow.

Under oath, on the witness stand, after waiving immunity in the John Doe inquiry before Chief Magistrate McAdoo this afternoon, ex-Gov. William Sulzer directly connected Charles F. Murphy with the now famous Barge Canal contracts Nos. 71A and 72A which James Stewart put in bids for in the fall of 1912, but didn't land. Sulzer swore that Charles F. Murphy sent for him and censured him for trying to aid Stewart.

Stewart has sworn that a man representing himself to be James E. Gaffney called on him after the election of 1912, said he had been assigned to solicit campaign "contributions" and demanded 5 per cent. on the value of the contracts, which totalled about \$3,000,000. Stewart refused to give up.

Then came mysterious moves by the Canal Board about the contracts. Sulzer swore to-day that he interested himself in Stewart's behalf in December, 1912, just before he was inaugurated, and asked the Canal Board by telegraph to withhold action on the Stewart matter until after Jan. 1.

MURPHY DENOUNCED HIM FOR BUTTING IN.

On the next day, Sulzer swore, Murphy sent for him through John Delaney. He went to Delmonico's and saw Murphy, who accused him of "butting in on a good thing" and told him he would regret it if he did anything like that again. Later on, Sulzer swore, Murphy urged him to appoint Gaffney State Commissioner of Highways.

Sulzer swore that he asked Senator O'Gorman about making Gaffney Highways Commissioner. O'Gorman replied, according to Sulzer: "If you appoint Jim Gaffney you'll appoint a crook."

At the conclusion of his testimony Sulzer was asked by Mr. Whitman to appear at the Criminal Courts Building to-morrow afternoon. This means in all probability that the ex-Governor will appear before the Grand Jury at that time to give evidence in the matter of the attempted hold-up of Stewart by the man who represented himself as Gaffney.

Before Mr. Sulzer was called to the witness chair, he, with his counsel, Col. Alexander Bacon, had a conference with Mr. Whitman over the waiver of immunity from prosecution which the District-Attorney requires of all witnesses in the John Doe investigation.

Mr. Sulzer arrived at Mr. Whitman's office a little before half-past two accompanied by Detective Al. Thomas of the District-Attorney's staff, who met him at the door of the Criminal Courts Building. The conference lasted for more than half an hour, during which Mr. Sulzer and Mr. Whitman talked over the line of the former Governor's testimony and then Mr. Sulzer signed the waiver of immunity and went at once to the court-room and took the stand.

"I am here," said Sulzer in beginning his story, "to give whatever information I can. On the eighteenth of December, 1912, I received a telegram from G. H. McGuire that the Canal Board had been called in a special meeting to inspect the bids of the Stewart Company. It was told me that their bid was thousands of dollars under all other bids and a great injustice would be done if their bid was rejected."

"As Governor-elect I felt it my duty to save the money of the taxpayers, so I sent a telegram to the Board asking them to withhold action until I could confer about the matter."

"My recollection is that it was on the day I received the message from McGuire."

TELLS OF PHONE MESSAGE FROM JOHN H. DELANEY.

"On Dec. 19 John H. Delaney called me by telephone. He was connected with a New York morning newspaper. He seemed very much excited—in fact, I'd never seen him so perturbed."

"He came to my office and said: 'My God, Congressman, what have you done?'"

"I asked him what I'd done."

"He said: 'Congressman, you have spilled the beans. The "Chief" (meaning C. F. Murphy) is wild. I've never seen him so worked up. I'm afraid all is off between you, My God, Congressman, why did you do it?'"

"In explaining his demeanor he asked me: 'Why did you send that telegram to the Canal Board? It's angered the Chief and he wants to see you right away.'"

READ THE MURPHY TELEGRAM OVER THE PHONE.

"I told him: 'This is easy, and I read to him the telegram I had received from McGuire and told him I'd wired the board not to do anything until I got to Albany.'"

"Delaney always refers to Mr. Murphy as 'the Chief.' He came to me at the office after the phone conversation and told me he had come at Murphy's suggestions. He went to the telephone in my office and called up Mr. Murphy at Delmonico's. He talked with him a moment and then